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In re Application of  
Laeseke et al.  
Application No. 10/021,622  
Filed: December 12, 2001  
Attorney Docket No. 960296.98636

This is a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), filed March 1, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **granted**.

This application became abandoned for failure to properly reply within three months to the final Office action mailed July 16, 2003. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, this application became abandoned on October 17, 2003.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b).

The file is now being forwarded to Technology Center 3700 for processing of the Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 filed with the instant petition.

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